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SUBJECT: VISIT TO LAGOS BY AMERICAN BUSINESSMAN THOMAS
VAUGHN

REF: KOTT-CAHILL TELECON OF EARLY MAY

THOMAS VAUGHN, MANAGING DIRECTOR OF BOORMAN AND VAUGHN-
COLWELL (NIGERIA) LTD, A CONSTRUCTION-ENGINEERING FIRM
PLANS TO ARRIVE LAGOS MAY 27 FOR TWO WEEK STAY. HIS FIRM
HAS LONG-STANDING CONTACT WITH NIGERIA AND IS PRESENTLY
ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN ROAD CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT IN
ANAMBRA STATE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH I.I. EGBUNA OF BORMAN
ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION CO. VAUGHN WILL CONTACT
ECONCOUNS SOON AFTER ARRIVAL FOR GENERAL BRIEFING AND
FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE. FYI: PER REF TELECON, VAUGHN
CLAIMS HE RECEIVED SHABBY TREATMENT BY EMBOFF DURING LAST
VISIT SEVERAL MONTHS AGO. AF/W ADVISED HE SEE ECONCOUNS
PERSONALLY ON THIS VISIT AND WAS ASSURED HE WOULD BE
GIVEN PROPER ADVICE. CHRISTOPHER
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